

# The Hartford Republican.

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## ALLEGED ARSON PLOTS REVEALED

In Deposition Given About  
Owensboro Fire.

Flames at Morganfield Also Said  
to Have been Started by  
an "Artist."

The Evening Post Monday contained the following:

Owensboro, Ky., Dec. 4.—An unexpected development has occurred in a sensational case here in the form of a deposition by E. D. Hodges, formerly president of the Ohio Valley Dry Goods Company, in which he alleges that Chas. Cohn, manager of the company had hired a man to set fire to the store. The store was burned December 7, 1910, in a mysterious manner, as there had been no fire in the building for days. The insurance companies have been fighting the payment of the insurance on stock, alleging that between \$15,000 and \$18,000 worth of goods had been boxed up and shipped away.

In Hodges' deposition he states the name man unknown to him, but going under the name of Howard Hall or Bloom, was paid by Cohn to set fire to the Green River Department Store, owned by Cohn, in Morganfield, in which Morganfield was almost destroyed and \$300,000 property lost.

Cohn left Owensboro about ten days before the fire, and his present whereabouts are unknown, though he is said to be in Chicago.

According to the talk that Hodges claims to have had with Cohn and the other who appears on the scene of action at different times under various names, first being called Mr. Jack, later taking the name of Hall or Howard and finally being known as Fred Bloom, things were carried with a high hand.

In a room over a Greek dive in Chicago, with only Hodges, Cohn and Bloom present, Hodges claim that the story was told him by the two, one interrupting the other at intervals, to add a word of explanation and to bring out clearly all of the details. Bloom was the main narrator according to Hodges, who say the story told by Bloom was as follows:

"To show you what kind of a fellow Bloom is," said Cohn, "I had a number of these cans of dry goods to be packed in a warehouse here, and at that time the police were keeping a lookout for the goods that were being stolen from the different railroads. I went to the warehouse one day and saw three police man watching my stuff. The watchman gave me a tip, and finally I screwed up courage enough to pass them. They asked the watchman if my name was not Cohn, and were told that it was, but I had disappeared when they started looking for me. I saw Jack and told him that I was in trouble, but he laughed at me, and said he would get the goods. He did, too. He would eat the cases off three or four at a time, from under the noses of the officers, and he was never caught."

Hodges told of the different times he had been connected with Cohn, and stated that at the time of the organization of the Morganfield store Cohn told him that he was going to give him \$500 worth of stock in the company, and wanted him to be president of the store.

Hodges continued:

"At one time when I was working for him he told me to go to Nashville, Chattanooga, and Atlanta to buy goods. I asked what kind, and he answered: 'Buy everything that you can.' I went into one wholesale store after another in Nashville, and each place I was asked if I was buying for the People's Store of Fulton. I would answer that I was, and they would tell me of having sold quantities of goods to Ben Cohn."

"The Fulton store was closed out and the goods were shipped to the store at Morganfield and the one at Owensboro. Before the fire at Morganfield some of the goods from that store were shipped to Louisville and other points, and before the fire at Owensboro I am certain that there were 150 or 200 empty shirt boxes and some empty shoe boxes in the Ohio Valley Dry Goods Store."

On every hand and at every turn, according to the story told by Hodges, Cohn and his confederate, Bloom, show the heads of masters in their planning, plotting and scheming.

"I had a rather heavy beard on my face the night of the fire, but got a shave the next day and boarded a train for Chicago the next afternoon. At the train, after I had gone in the coaches, I saw Cohn on the platform and I got up and rapped on the window. He nearly went straight up, he saw the smoke. When

that way after I had done so much devilmint in the town."

While in Chicago Cohn told Hodges all about his business, so Hodges says, admitting that he had caused both of the stores to be burned, and stating that Bloom had done the job for him. He said, according to Hodges, that "Jack" would do anything for him; that if he told Jack there was a man in Tennessee who knew him who would "blow" on him, Jack would leave Chicago, and in a few days he would come back, but that the objectionable man would be out of the way, and no one would ever know what had happened.

Continuing, Hodges claims to quote Cohn as follows:

"You remember when I went to Cincinnati and Cleveland to buy goods for the store. Well, when you were gone I packed a large part of the stock and gave a boy money to buy tickets to Evansville. The boy had instructions to buy the tickets, then pay the excess baggage rate on the trunks, which he said were sample trunks, and would get the stuff out of Owensboro in that manner. I have forty-six cases and thirteen trunks of dry goods, all of which is worth between \$14,000 and \$16,000. I've got it stored in warehouses in Chicago, Omaha, Council Bluffs, South Omaha, Lincoln, Neb., and South Haven, Mich. Cohn wired for Hodges, so Hodges says, to come to Chicago at the time he told him of burning the stores, and told Hodges that he did not want him or Arthur Dinkelspiel to be in Owensboro when the grand jury might get hold of them and cause trouble. Cohn told Hodges, according to the latter, that he did not even want him to stay in Kentucky, but said that he was going to start a store with the goods that he had taken from the Ohio Valley stock, and that if Hodges would consent to move to the mountains in Tennessee he (Cohn) would give him the first \$1,500 that was taken in by the store that he was going to start.

Further along Hodges' story is as follows:

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## CANNON GIVEN TO HARTFORD

By Ohio County Boy, Capt.  
W. E. Bennett.

Captured by Him in Philippines  
in 1908—Over 100  
Years Old.

Hartford can soon boast of having a sum enough cannon mounted on the Court House square. In fact the brass cannon has arrived. Through the generosity of Capt. W. E. Bennett, of Seattle, Wash., an Ohio county boy, this little brass cannon, which he captured himself, has been given to the city of Hartford. It is about three feet long, is solid brass and weighs 33 pounds. While it does not have the appearance of being such a terror in present day warfare, yet no one would care to get in its range when touched off. It bears marks of being crudely constructed according to our modern ideas of artillery, but no doubt a fine piece of work, and great for the period in which it was made.

Hartford should be proud of this famous relic, and more so since it was captured by a former resident of this country. In the early spring, or as soon as the weather permits the old cannon will be mounted in the court house yard, and there remain. The following authentic history and poem has been written concerning the cannon by its donor, Capt. Bennett, for The Republican:

### HISTORY OF THE CANNON.

This lantaka (Moro word for cannon) according to statements of some of the Mindanao Moros was brought to the Islands before the Spaniards ever came by some of the Mohammedan Missionaries from Arabia, who preached the Mohammedan doctrines to the natives of Jojo and Mindanao, many years before the discoveries and conquests by the Spaniards.

It had belonged to the family of the people from whom it was captured. It is claimed for more than a hundred years having been handed down from time to time from father to oldest son, sometimes captured and later taken by relatives and friends and always restored to the family from whom it was taken.

It was taken its last time at the native village of Lower Batak, Island of Basian, P. I., from a band of outlaws under the Jolano Imam Ukalil, by a detachment of the 25th United States Infantry commanded by Captain (then Lieutenant) Bennett, U. S. Army, a native of Ohio county, Kentucky, June 17th, 1908, during the operations on that Island that year against hostile Jolano Moros.

Captain Bennett brought it to the United States on his return in 1909, and presented it to the City of Hartford and the people of Ohio county, upon an occasion of his visit home in June 1911, some of the citizens of Hartford expressing a desire to mount the gun at the Hartford Court House. It was shipped by the Northern Express, by Captain Bennett to the "City of Hartford," in care of an old friend of his boyhood days, City Marshall Sam Riley, November 22, 1911.

### THE LANTAKA'S STORY.

I am an old lantaka;  
I come from the Moro land,  
I was brought there many years ago  
By an Arab Missionary band.

I was cast in the sands of Arabia,  
Many jungles away.

And after I finish this story,  
Twill be all I have to say.

My people descended from Abu-Beker,  
A wondering Son of God,

So, all my other masters

Now sleep beneath the sod.

As an heirloom they all valued me,  
Bequeathed me from son to son,

And amongst all those who owned me,

I was considered—much of a gun.

I've served many masters faithfully,

In many a bloody fight

And have been captured several times

And carried out of sight.

But my people always loved me,

And we're always on my track,

It mattered not who captured me,  
I was always captured back.

The last of my family to own me  
Was Ukuillo, the Imam,  
But a Kentucky soldier captured me,  
And now with you I am.

I beg you'll remember my people,  
I hope you'll treat me well,  
For this is the end of my story,  
It is all I have to tell.

Mount me on iron in concrete  
In the corner of your court house yard  
So my muzzle may be turned,  
North, South, or Eastward.

Fasten me firmly on my mountings,  
And keep me oiled and sleek,  
And I'll guarantee to throw my shot  
Clear across Rough Creek.

Elevate me properly,  
And swab me good and clean,  
And I'll promise you to throw my balls  
Onto the College Green.

### EASTVIEW.

Dec. 4.—Farmers are about through gathering corn, the yield is better than they anticipated.

Mr. S. R. French is spending a few days with friends and relatives at Beaver Dam and Taylor Mines.

Mrs. Bob Ralph, of Owensboro and Bill Martin, of Sutherland, spent a few days last week in this vicinity attending the prosecution of its leaders, and labor leaders are just men—not dandies—as the anarchist press has been trying to make the McNamees appear. It is labor cause, not leaders, that needs the largest defense fund.

## POLITICS AND PERSONALITIES

Correspondent Expresses  
Few Views.

Along the Labor Troubles—Gives  
a Nice Little Boost for  
Judge Crowe.

(Contributed.)

We believe that Union labor has done more to better the conditions of the laboring men than all the politicians put together, and we believe that Union labor is the only thing that saves the mass of our people from industrial slavery, but it hurts and does not help the cause of Union labor for leaders to rush into print proclaiming the innocence of every labor man accused of crime. God knows there are enough real criminals against labor without maligning the prosecution of its leaders, and labor leaders are just men—not dandies—as the anarchist press has been trying to make the McNamees appear. It is labor cause, not leaders, that needs the largest defense fund.

As an illustration of the real injustice done to the poor and unfortunate look at the laws as administered by the Federal courts. Probably a hundred cases against corporations for personal injustices were tried in the Federal courts in Kentucky last year, and in every case so far as the writer can ascertain the plaintiff was duly adjudged to have been hurt or killed himself without any liability from the corporation that employed, directed and controlled him. An appeal costing several hundred dollars, is sure to drag for a year or more and is uncertain in result, so a poor man in the Federal court has just about as much chance of winning as "Texas Ranger" Tom Sweeny would have in a foot race at the Marathon.

It may be treason to say it, but the writer believes in the law for every officer from President Taft down to Janitor John Morton of the court house—who in John's case the court would never be used—and we thank the Federal judiciary—not calling no names—needs it worse than anything we know.

The death of gendal young Simon Stevens of Rend, brought real sorrow to those who were fortunate enough to share his friendship. No man the writer ever met was truer in his friendship than "Young Simon" as we called him affectionately at the mines. His death was a most regrettable illustration of that fact, for it was in order to wave a friend's greeting to a friend who was enroute on the fast L. C. passenger, that he attempted to cross to the other side of the railroad and was killed. And so it was that young Simon, loyal in life, went to his death waving God speed to a friend.

The friends of C. M. Orwells—and who has, or deserves more friends?—are urging his selection as the Democratic candidate for County Judge. We are inclined to believe that Charlie's new firm connection will fit him for the race, but he should make a real judge and no imbecile about that.

ENTERTAINMENT NEXT WEEK.

"Snap Shots" will be presented at Dr. B. C. Opera House next Thursday night under the auspices of the Hartford Ladies Circle of the Woodmen of the World. Elaborate preparation is being made for the play and the accompanying special features including drills, musical numbers and songs are all by home talent. The entertainment is under the direct supervision of Miss Leila DeWitt, a talented reader and elocutionist, and a rare treat is in store for those who attend. With about 50 local people in the play much interest and laughter is aroused. The play is a scream from beginning to end and should be given a large audience.

K. of P. Hold Election.

Knights of Pythias held a splendid meeting at Castle Hall Tuesday evening, at which time officers were elected for the first half of 1912. The following were selected:

Chancellor Commander, W. R. Haddrick.

Prelate, Albert Rial.

K. of P. & S., J. Noy Foster, re-elected.

Master of Work, H. E. Brown.

Master of Exchequer, James Lyons, re-elected.

Master of Arms, W. H. Rhoads.

Inner Guard, U. S. Carson.

Outer Guard, W. F. Anderson.

Treasurer, S. T. Durbin, re-elected.

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## ILLINOIS CENTRAL TRAIN WRECKED

More Than a Score of Passengers are Injured.

Train No. 101 Running From Louisville to New Orleans—Accident Near Paducah.

Paducah, Ky., Dec. 1.—Over a score of passengers of Illinois Central passenger train No. 101, southbound, from Louisville, were painfully injured, several perhaps fatally, late this afternoon, when spinning rails threw a ditch twenty-eight rods eastwardly from the road at 5:32 o'clock.

One life was taken by the same train a short time before when Simon Stevens, a milk boy of Central City, Ky., threw himself on the track before it as the train was passing through the town.

RUNNING DOWN GRADE.

Engineer Henry Frailey, of Louisville, was driving down the grade, approaching the Cumberland river bridge when, rounding a curve at a fifty mile clip, the rails spun.

The engine turned a complete somersault, catapulting the fireman, Alton Lutlow, of Louisville, into a cornfield, and plowing Frailey under.

The rails and wrecked train put out from Paducah soon after reports of the wreck were received and at midnight neither had returned.

THE SERIOUSLY INJURED.

The seriously injured will be brought to the local hospital.

Among them are the engineer, badly crushed under his engine.

Fireman Lutlow, who suffered several internal hurts.

Clarence Price, of Shreveport, La., leg broken.

Mrs. Eddie Martin, of Dexter, Mo., and two children, sides and heads broken.

L. A. Kuhr, Cincinnati, left side and back crushed.

Mrs. Hugh Faulkner, Kuttawa, gashed.

sides crushed and ribs broken.  
L. M. Wilson, Columbus, O., crushed and cut about the head.

W. W. Hill, Chicago, head cut and bruised.

Jesus Lagore, Paducah, Ky., leg broken and internal injuries.

MANY GET MINOR HURTS.  
A considerable proportion of the injured suffered burns about the head, when the cars stopped on their sides.

Among those are: J. W. Rossor, Mayfield, Ky.; Miss Tilly French, of Fancy Farm, Ky., (also probably internally hurt); Mrs. Tilly Dreunner, Paducah, head and body bruised; Mrs. W. L. Bland, Owensboro, bruised on body and internal injuries; T. B. Ray, Fulton, head injured; J. E. Bynum, Fulton, head cut; Mrs. S. C. Kammerer, Louisville, bruised on body; J. W. Castro, cuts on head; unknown negro, leg broken.

Caught in the Rain.  
Douglasville, Tex.—"Five years ago, away, Cardul has stopped my suffering. I was caught in the rain at the wrong time," writes Edna Rutherford, of Douglasville, "and from that time, was taken with dumb chills and fevers, and suffered more than I can tell. I tried everything that I thought would help, and had four doctors, but got no relief. I took Cardul, the woman's tonic. Now, I feel better than in many months." Cardul does one thing and does it well. That's the secret of its 50 years of success.

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## SELECTING GIRL CHUMS

Girls Should be Careful in Choosing

Their Companions—Early Ties

Formed Often Shape Girl's Future Career.

A schoolgirl's instinct leads her to the making of friends. Affinity, one might say, is at work. And it doesn't do much good to advise her in regard to the kinds of friends that are wisest choices. In such matters they will in most cases only learn by what she suffers. But now and then is a girl led astray in such matters, who doesn't want to make blunders, and who will gladly listen and be suggested as to the forming of school friendships. The girl who does this will make helpful and inspiring friendships that will be a joy to her all through life.

MEETS MANY STRANGERS.

Mos. of the girls one meets at school are entire strangers. What

their ideas are, what their home life may be, is unknown. Yet girls will rush in and form friendships with them, that may have a great effect

on their future life, without knowing

anything of those they're thus taking into their lives. And yet it is a

time when they should move slowly

and cautiously in the matter of friendships, for schoolgirls are not good judges of human nature and they are at an impressionable age when tastes and manners can be

strongly influenced.

A girl may be strongly attracted

to another, but if, upon close acquaintance, she finds that this girl urges her to despicable conduct toward her mother or to unscrupulous methods

in regard to her lessons, she should

drop such an intimacy. The other

girl may argue that these are little matters and that they do not count. But they are not little and they do count. It will lead her to form habits

of debauchery and dissipation that will poison her whole life.

A girl should avoid friendships

with one who is loud and forward

in her manner. To the unsophisticated

girl it may seem very smart to attract a lot of attention on the trolley or street by loud laughing or would-be clever remarks. But such conduct is only vulgar and brings discredit upon the girl indulging in it.

INFLUENCE HER FOR BETTER

The girl who has made a friend of one who does these things should either try to induce her to stop or else break off the intimacy. She will cut herself off from many pleasant associations in the future if she does not.

For these coarse, loud manners acquired while young will stick to her and will repel refined, cultured people. And thus in after years she may be cut off from associations she very much desires.

The schoolgirl should be slow and critical in forming her friends. She should not rush in impulsively as is her nature to do and swear eternal friendship on two days' acquaintance. She would have certain standards of her own of refined, ladylike deportment, of truth and honor and square dealing.

And the girl who, upon acquaintance does not measure up to these, she should avoid, unless she is strong enough herself to uphold her own standards and to bring the other girl around to her own high outlook upon life.—Milwaukee Sentinel.

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## CONJURING UP TARIFF UPHEAVAL

Failure of the Attempt to Figure  
out a Free-Trade Victory in  
the November Elections.

The Insurgent-Republican-and-Democratic organs figure out a decisive victory for the foes of a Protective Tariff, but the thing is done by a wholesale juggling of election facts and figures such as vauntedly fair-minded papers like the New York Evening Post, Springfield Republican and Boston Transcript would have hesitated to open their columns to in anteprogressive days, the most unblushing of these delinquents, perhaps, is the Evening Post, which attributes Foss' plurality of 8,000 to a popular desire in a high Tariff stronghold or robuste the injection of the Tariff and other national issues into a State campaign. But as Foss had 35,000 last year, when the Tariff was hotly discussed, the Evening Post's deduction would be more convincing had it explained away that stamp of 27,000 in Foss' plurality. Again, how does our New York contemporary reconcile its analysis of the vote with the fact that the Republican ticket below governor carried the State by an average majority of 26,000 or 18,000 over Foss?

The Evening Post strangely ignores the result and lesson of the Rhode Island election, where the Tariff was practically the sole issue, and where the Republicans scored a gain of 6,000 over last year. Have not Massachusetts and Rhode Island invariably pulled together on the Tariff? Anyway, no value attaches to a reading of Tuesday's results which skips the Rhode Island landslide Tariffward.

The Evening Post goes to still great lengths in its zeal to make out that the Tariff got a black eye in congressional districts where elections were held. We are told that the Republicans suffered a significant loss in the First New Jersey district by the cutting down of Loudenmeyer's 10,000 plurality in 1910 to a "very low figure." But, as Loudenmeyer actually had only 300 in 1910, while Brown got 3,500 last Tuesday, the bottom fell out of the Evening Post's argument. As to the Second Kansas district, where a Democrat overcame

the heavy Republican majority of 1910 the Evening Post overlooks the circumstances that the defeated Republican as a radical progressive of the Kansas stripe, and if he had been elected must have been classed with the House Insurgents, who voted for the Underwood bill. In the Third Nebraska district a Democrat was elected by practically the same vote as in 1910, yet the Evening Post was fit to state that the figures this year show a considerable Democratic gain.

Worse yet, the Evening Post again forgot to mention the Fourteenth Pennsylvania district, where a Republican succeeds a Democrat, really the most significant result of any in the four districts mentioned.

Thus, notwithstanding the actual figures were to be found in its news column easily available for a fair and intelligent discussion, the Evening Post pyramids a mass of misleading statements and proceeds with unanswerable logic and unerring cocksureness to point out the inevitable aftermath of Republican unswindom in defending the Tariff vetoes, as follows:

There could be no clearer proof of general dissatisfaction with the administration, especially in the matter of its Tariff policy, nor a sharper rebuke to President Taft for his veto of the wool bill, with a warning that he must strike hard for Tariff reductions this winter, or give up next year's election in advance.

The Springfield Republican and the Boston Transcript also painstakingly seek to demonstrate that Foss won out on the Tariff, but they, like the Evening Post, find it convenient to shut their eyes to Rhode Island results and the other hard facts which go to cut the ground from undergeneralizations as to the "great" injury done to President Taft's chances in 1912.

A Charming Woman, Is one who is lovely in face, form, mind and temper. But it's hard for a woman to be charming without health. A weak, sickly woman will be nervous and irritable. Consumption and kidney diseases show in pain, blisters, skin eruptions and a wretched complexion. But Electric Bitters always prove a godsend to women who want health, beauty and friends. They regulate Stomach, Liver and Kidneys, purify the blood; give strong nerves, bright eyes, pure breath, smooth, velvety skin, lovely complexion and perfect health. Try them. 50¢ at all druggists.

## HOUSEHOLD HELPS

### BUTTERED APPLES.

Peel and core some apples without breaking them; put half a pint of water and a cup of sugar on to boil; let boil up once or twice, then simmer the apples carefully until tender, lift out gently and arrange on a dish; place a small piece of butter on each and a little apricot jam on top; pour the syrup around.

### CORN SALAD.

One gallon of cabbage cut fine, one gallon of sweet corn, two quarts best apple vinegar, two cups of granulated sugar, one-third teacup of white mustard seed, two pods of pepper, salt to taste. Put cabbage into granitic kettle with enough water to cover, cook fifteen minutes, put in corn, sugar, vinegar and pepper; cook fifteen minutes longer, then put in salt and mustard seed; let it boil up once and strain while hot. This will keep open for months without spoiling.

### LABOR SAVING.

Where the family washing is large much time, labor and fuel can be saved if the following method be used. Take laundry or kitchen table, see that same is clean; first shake out bath towels and spread evenly on table, then hand the roller towels, next pillow covers last; fold bed sheets, placing over all, and then cover with ironing sheet; bring table close to stove, so as not to lose time getting hot irons; then commence and iron all underwear, stockings, tablecloths, napkins and handkerchiefs, all except starched clothes; then remove ironing sheet and all the flat work underneath will be as smooth as if sent to laundry; fold same and place on clothes bars as per.

### WHITENING THE TEETH.

Nearly all the things that whitish teeth have some drawback. The purely mechanical cleansers, as precipitated chalk, plumbate, charcoal and powdered cuttlefish do no good unless they are very coarse and gritty, and when they are they scratch the teeth. So making decay highly probable. The chemical cleaners, as lemon juice, are equally dangerous when used frequently for they dissolve the enamel. Camphor acts as a mild bleach. Its drawback is a tendency to make the teeth brittle. Peroxyde of sodium diluted with water and instantly applied is a stronger bleach than camphor. It is frequently the cause of sore gums. Rubbing the teeth with soap usually brings disappointment. Salt also is usually a failure. An old-time plan is to apply lemon juice and then a powder made of fine salt and charcoal. Milk sugar is highly recommended by some. It acts best when there is real tartar, for it often softens this and allows it to be more easily removed by mechanical means.

### DESTROYING BEDBUGS.

A correspondent of the Philadelphia North American writes: "As the open season for bedbugs is almost at hand, let me tell listeners any method of getting rid of them:

"1. Put in a pint bottle thirty mercury tablets (these tablets are an easily soluble preparation of thiochloride of mercury), dissolve in a little warm water.

"2. Add equal quantities of gasoline and spirits of turpentine to fill the bottle.

"3. Pierce a sound cork with a quill—that from a camel's hair brush is best. Put cork firmly in bottle and go to work. Have no artificial light or fire near you or in the room.

"4. By gently shaking the bottle stream of the mixture can be directed into cracks in floors, baseboards, corners and seams of mattresses, etc., without waste or mess. Use up what you make; it is safer around them in the bottle. I have never known this to fail, and I have had experience."

### BUTTERMILK CHEESE.

Large amounts of buttermilk are wasted by many. If this were made into buttermilk cheese it would furnish a large supply of palatable food equal in value, pound for pound, to raw buttermilk. To make this cheese, the buttermilk is curdled by heating to 80 degrees. It is then left undisturbed for an hour and again heated to 130 degrees. After standing quiet for about an hour, the clear whey is drawn off the curd and the butter is placed in a draining rack covered with cheesecloth. Let it remain half a day or over night, until it is dried, when it is cut into 11-2 pounds to each 100 pounds of curd, and to every four lbs. it can be made to make one ounce of cream which was extracted from the curd, or the buttermilk may be preserved during the process of cheesemaking, in a jar, care being taken to remove the cheese grums. Packing and selling cheese requires special attention, since the public is not familiar with the product, and it must be thoroughly advertised to secure a market.

will keep for a week or ten days at 60 to 65 degrees, but can be kept longer if stored at 32 degrees or lower.—Denver Field and Farm.

### CARE OF BABY'S HEAD.

Infants' heads should be washed at the bath every morning; occasionally there will appear on top of the head a brownish substance, which is sometimes called a "crust." This may easily be removed by gently rubbing into the little scalp a small quantity of the best olive oil, or white vaseline at night; in the morning wash this off with olive oil soap and warm water; use a soft cloth and rinse in several lukewarm waters; follow with a little bay rum to prevent any danger of taking cold; repeat daily until the difficulty is overcome.

When the hair has grown to any length the drying must be carefully done. Do not rub in hard with a towel as that breaks it; wrap a turkish towel around the head to absorb the moisture; squeeze out all the water you can, then massage the scalp with the tips of the fingers; have the patient in a warm place, preferably in the sun; allow the hair to hang down the back until thoroughly dry especially where the hair grows on the neck; then brush it gently; take the comb and a small quantity of hair; begin at the ends, working toward the head to remove tangles; never use a fine tooth comb under any circumstances, as there is nothing more injurious; use a rubber cushion, brush all you can; it makes the hair glossy; there is a right way to do this, too; grasp the brush in the right hand and the hair loosely in the left; then go from forehead to the ends with even, gentle strokes; brush the hair from five to ten minutes twice daily; this is one of the best tonics known, as it keeps the dust out and allows the scalp to breathe.

### LABOR SAVING.

When the family washing is large much time, labor and fuel can be saved if the following method be used. Take laundry or kitchen table, see that same is clean; first shake out bath towels and spread evenly on table, then hand the roller towels, next pillow covers last; fold bed sheets, placing over all, and then cover with ironing sheet; bring table close to stove, so as not to lose time getting hot irons; then commence and iron all underwear, stockings, tablecloths, napkins and handkerchiefs, all except starched clothes; then remove ironing sheet and all the flat work underneath will be as smooth as if sent to laundry; fold same and place on clothes bars as per.

### WHITENING THE TEETH.

Tecumseh, Okla.—"I believe," says

Mrs. Eliza Epperson, of this place,

"that if it hadn't been for Cardul, I

"would have been dead to-day. Before

"I began using Cardul, I suffered from

"pains in the head, shoulders, back

"side, limbs and the lower part of my

"body. Cardul helped me more than

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"health, since taking it, than for

"four years." Nobody can deny that

"the best tonic a woman to take is a

"tonic for women—Cardul. Please

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### At Yule-Time.

It's now the time for

Christmas trees, mistletoe and holly;

slight-bells ringing over

the breeze, and everybody

jolly; the children all will eat

their fill of turkey, sauce, and

candy, and Mother will be sure to

have the paregoric handy; relatives and

friends will come to pay their annual

visit;

and

swear

by all

the

saints

above

that

everything's exquisite;

gifts to make to

every one, and

that's the very reason

I save the ones they

give to me; then give

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FRIDAY, DECEMBER 8.

It is growing more evident that Mr. Bryan will be a candidate a fourth time for the presidency.

Gov. Thatcher must be doing things down in Panama from the number of stones thrown at him.

President Taft's Message to Congress seems to have been well received by everybody, except a few Jammies who think nothing should be done except Tariff smashing.

Why should a fair be permitted to open up a dry goods store on the Main street of Hartford for the purpose of working off old cheap shoddy clothing to people who would otherwise buy from our own merchants good staple material? Do we not owe our merchants some consideration and protection? The money carried away by this wandering Jew who was with us last Monday, will probably never get back to Hartford or Ohio county. If left with our own merchants, who help to keep up our churches, schools, etc., and who pay three kinds of taxes every year, it would help all of us at some place or time. We are consistently for protection. If we would have prevented this fair from selling here not only injustice to our merchants, but for the sake of our own business prosperity, and the protection of those who sometimes get parted from their money thinking they are getting a bargain.

The man who would try to discredit the entire body of organized labor because two leaders in one branch of it were wrong, is too small and narrow minded to deserve notice. There are perhaps half a hundred branches of organized labor, each acting independent of the other, so far as the man himself, & its own affairs is concerned. It would be equally as fair to condemn the entire United States because the officials of one should do wrong, or commit some grave crime. This effort comes from the enemies of labor and should be discounted accordingly. When the Kentucky tobacco growers were trying to organize in order to secure living prices and a few misguided persons under the teaching of demagogues committed crimes, the same effort was made to convict all persons who were connected with farmers organizations with being, night riders or sympathizers. We all know who inspired and paid for the circulation of these cruel charges.

The McNamara brothers, having confessed their guilt, should be punished to the fullest extent, just like other criminals. We had hoped that they were innocent and would be able to prove it. We sympathized with them from the start not only because we naturally have a warm place in our heart for those who are striving against such great odds, but because of the manner in which they were arrested and spirited away from their homes. Labor organizations should be careful to weed out the criminals so far as possible as soon as they can be detected. In the mean time the public should pass judgment only on the guilty. The thousands of men who belong to the various branches of organized labor and who are as law abiding as any other class of our citizens should not be made to suffer in their efforts to better this condition in life.

### More Texas Protectionists.

In a dispatch of November 15, from Athens, Texas, we read of the consolidation of two potteries, one at Anthony and the other a Wintfield, with a capital stock of \$100,000, and that the new company will install new machinery and greatly enlarge the two plants. This is welcome news. It indicates that Texas will turn out more pottery for her own use, instead of buying her pottery elsewhere, and also that Texas will turn out more Protectionists. Nothing is so fatal to the Free-Trade doctrine as the development of new industries or the enlargement of industries already established. Texas has had a banner Free-Trade State, is coming around. Already she has quite a lot of Protectionists who raise cattle, sheep, wool and rice. Now she is going to have some more Protectionists in the pottery line. Next!

What Bryan Owe to Protection. In the Democratic national convention of 1896, Wm. J. Bryan said:

"Thou shalt not press down upon the hand of labor a crown of thorns nor encircle mankind upon a cross of gold." Ever since he has been a laborer in the fields of politics and literature, and in the onion beds of Texas. During the intervening years he has not worn a crown of thorns, but he has accumulated gold enough to start a "crown" factory. He is a millionaire, but if his policies had been endorsed by the country in 1896 he might be able to wear a blue jeans suit on Sunday and own a hickory shirt and overalls for work days. On account of what the gold standard and a Protective Tariff has done for him he ought to worship at the shrine of McKinley and be the most loyal Republican in the country.—Marion (la.) Register.

### No Iniquity in Schedule K.

Mr. Underwood, the Democratic leader in the lower house of Congress in a recent speech figured out that the total Tariff on the cloth that enters into a suit of clothes is \$2.13 1-2. That is when the suit is all wool. It is not at all probable the removal of the Tariff would cheapen suits one cent, but would put thousands of American suit makers out of their jobs and send them to the free-soup houses for sustenance. So much unrepresented is made on this subject it is generally supposed the Tariff makes a suit cost from \$10 to \$15 more than it would otherwise. But we have good Democratic authority, Congressman Underwood, that it only amounts to \$2.13 on the material for the best quality of all wool suits. It is better to know the truth, and when it is known there will be less talk about the "Iniquity of Schedule K," for there is no iniquity in that schedule. Take off this duty and it is safe to say like the free hide business the small advantage will be well absorbed before it reaches the purchaser of clothes.—Eagle Grove (Ia.) Eagle.

### PALO.

Dec. 5.—Mr. James R. Burden, of Concord, has bought the property recently vacated by Richard Dooley and moved in same last Saturday.

Mrs. Mary White and son, Claude, visited her father, Mr. Rufus Boyd, at Fordsville, Sunday.

Mrs. Nannie Freamster and Mrs. Charlie Freamster spent the day with Mrs. Alonso Bartlett, Sunday.

Mrs. Anna Maden is all smiles, has just received a letter from her son J. Estill Maden, who is in the army located at Delaware, announcing the arrival of a twelve pound boy. Estill was married last December to Miss Emma Swan, daughter of Representative Edward J. Swan, of Delaware.

Mr. Dunk Berry has returned from a two weeks visit with relatives and friends near Louisville.

Mr. Jack Funk and family, of Taffy, visited Mr. Alonso Bartlett and family last Saturday night and Sunday.

School at this place is progressing nicely under the management of Miss Keown.

Mr. Alonso Bartlett and Mr. W. L. White were to Sunnydale last Friday on business.

Mr. Orval Berry met with a very painful accident Friday, when his family horse kicked him on the arm.

Mr. Jim Smith of Taffy, is moving in the property recently vacated by Mr. J. L. LaGrand.

### Wins Fight for Life.

It was a long and bloody battle for life that was waged by James H. Monahan, of Newark, N. J. of which he writes: "I had lost much blood from lung hemorrhages, and was very weak and rundown. For eight months I was unable to work. Death seemed close on my heels, when I began three weeks ago, to use Dr. King's New Discovery. But it has helped me greatly. It is doing all that you claim." For weak, sore lungs, obstinate coughs, stubborn colds, rheumatism, rheumatism, hay-fever or any throat or lung trouble its price: 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by all druggists.

### Mrs. Pickett and Southern Poets.

The South is developing many new writers these days, but the old ones are not forgotten, and all great leaders below Mason and Dixon's line—and above it too—will welcome Mrs. La Salle Carroll Pickett's new series of articles on famous literary people and places of the South, now appearing in LIPPINCOTT'S. The first paper, "The Sunrise Post"—when every Southerner will recognize as Sunday Leader—is in the December issue. "Corn," one of Land's most famous works, is reprinted from an early number of LIPPINCOTT'S, in which it originally appeared.

Papers on Edgar Allan Poe and Henry Timrod will follow.

"I had been troubled with constipation for two years and tried all of the best physicians in Bristol, Tenn., and they could do nothing for me," writes Thos. E. Williams, Middleboro, Ky. "Two packages of Chapman's Stimulus and Liver Tonic cured me." For sale by all druggists.

### Short Courses in Agriculture.

On the second day of January 1912 the College of Agriculture of the State University will begin its farmers' courses or short courses in agriculture. The first week of this time will be designated Farmers' Week. This time will be consumed by the annual convocations of the various live stock breeds association, including the dairy and beef cattle, swine, sheep and horses, the annual meeting of the State Corn Growers' Association. Each of these associations will devote one day to their program, some of the convocations running simultaneously in different rooms.

This week affords the best possible opportunity, not only to hear an interesting and instructive program by practical and professional men of State and nation-wide reputation, but also an opportunity to meet a large majority of the most successful farmers and stockmen of our State. Not only will the farmer find the work spent at the college pleasant and profitable, but also his wife and daughter will find that special arrangements have been made for them in the way of instruction in household economics.

Lectures, demonstrations and practical exercises in cooking, sewing, home decoration and other matters pertaining to the home will be treated.

During Farmers' Week the State Corn Show will be held, with a large number of classes for both the adult and boys' departments, and a most attractive premium list is offered. At the same time there will be held the State Dairy Show, with exhibits of milk and cream of both cow and lamb market classes, and butter made at the creamery and on the farm, each in its class. A separate premium list will be offered for the various classes making it well worth while to compete in any of them. The State Horticultural Society is also arranging for an elaborate exhibit. Special folders giving information concerning each of these departments will be mailed to any one on request.

Reduced rates have been secured over all the railroad lines to put it within the means of a larger number to attend.

Immediately following Farmers' Week will come the regular Winter Short Course in Agriculture, intended for the practical farmer who cannot leave his farm to take any of the regular college courses. This course continues until the middle of March, treating practical farm problems and operations in a scientific manner. This time was selected during the winter in order that it might be possible for the farmer to leave his work, which would not be the case if the work were conducted in the summer.

The facilities for teaching are perhaps as good at the Kentucky Agricultural College as at any other place in the country, especially in the case of live stock and dairying. Among the subjects treated will be agronomy, or general field crops, animal husbandry, diseases of live stock, farm and home sanitation, including dairy bacteriology, farm dairying and dairy management, botany; horticulture in its various phases, economic entomology or the study of injurious and beneficial insects, road construction and maintenance, farm law, weather forecasting and farm accounts.

No pains or money have been spared to make the work pleasant and profitable to the farmer. A special booklet describing the short courses in detail has been printed and will be sent on application. All is absolutely free. For information address T. R. BRYANT, Superintendent Extension Division.

### Milch Cow for Sale.

Any person desiring to purchase a good milch cow would do well to inquire at The Republican Office.

### Resolutions of Respect.

Hall of Acme Lodge No. 339, I. O. O. F., Hartford, Ky., Nov. 24, 1911.

Whereas, the Grand Master of the Universe has called from us our esteemed brother, Frank Rouch, be it

Resolved, that in his death our lodge has lost a faithful and zealous member, a true Odd Fellow; that we strive to emulate his virtues and his devotion to the principles of our beloved order; that we extend our heartfelt sympathy to the family and command them to him who controls all of our actions and destinies, and who doeth all things well.

Resolved, that these resolutions be spread upon our records, published in our county papers and Kentucky Odd Fellow, and that a copy of same be presented to the family of our deceased brother.

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It is Well to Recall.  
In these days when agitators demand a reduction of Protective Tariff duties it is well for thoughtful people to recall the conditions which followed the adoption of the Wilson-

Gorman Tariff bill. The blow fell heaviest upon the laboring and agricultural classes. Census reports show that 80 per cent of the materials used by industrial institutions are furnished from the farm. Manufacturing implements closed; the millions of men were thrown out of employment. Thus the patronage of farm products was destroyed. In 1891 the farm value of wheat produced was \$12 million dollars, but in 1892 it had fallen to \$12 million. In 1895 it was only \$23 million. In 1896 the farm value of the corn crop was \$36 million dollars, which in 1896 had fallen to \$41 million. The value of farm animals in 1892 was \$2,461 million, and the enormous sum in 1896 had diminished to \$1,727 million. These figures are prepared from official reports and all wages, earnings and farms should read and reflect.

### Bethlehem.

Bethlehem, Bethlehem,  
Shimmering afar,  
Underneath the sunlight,  
Underneath the star,  
You are like a precious gem  
(Gold and ivory),  
Set upon the morning hills  
For the world to see.

Bethlehem, Bethlehem,  
With your doves and doves,  
Do you ever brood and dream  
Through the flowing hours  
That you have for gladness,  
What none other knows,  
Set upon the morning hills  
White Judean rose?  
Bethlehem, Bethlehem,  
Consecrate afar,  
Glad beneath the sunlight,  
Blest beneath the star,  
You have Him for gladness,  
Him to whom men pray,  
Born upon the morning hills  
That first Christmas day!  
—Clinton Scollard in December Lipincott.



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U. S. Carson will have Fireworks for the boys.

Overcoat weather now. Fairs' have the Coats.

Attorney Y. L. Mosely and Mr. Thomas Likens transacted business at Narrows, Saturday.

This is J. C. Hee's tenth year working for Santa Claus, so don't fail to come around and see him.

Send your orders for any Magazine or set of Magazines to J. Ney Foster and your orders will be given prompt attention.

We have just received a new supply of typewritten ribbons for Smith-Premier, No. 2, typewriters. The Hartford Republican.

If you should not get a catalog of our Xmas Goods, ask for one. We want you to get one. OHIO COUNTY DRUG CO., Interstate.

Men should shave at Riley's. Piano coupons with every CASH purchase at Fairs'.

All kinds of painting done at The Republican office.

Don't forget the big stump in Millinery now at Fairs'.

See Fair's Coat Suits. Prices and Quality will please you.

Trade at Fairs and get the piano coupons for your friends.

When you want Ammunition or Guns, call on U. S. Carson, the Grocer.

188f

Mrs. E. C. Baird and Robert Davis were pleasant callers at this office, Saturday.

The hunting season is now on. Get your outfit from U. S. Carson's Grocer.

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Help your friends by trading at Fairs'. It costs you not more and then you help some one to get the Piano.

Three hundred and fifty Books in Mrs. W. S. Dean and Mr. Columbus King, of Dundee, transacted business in Hartford Wednesday afternoon.

Don't worry with that Cough, but get a bottle of Foly's Honey and Tar Compound at Ohio County Drug Co.

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The bazaar conducted by the ladies of the Methodist church closed last night in the Hartford House building and was a success from every standpoint, and over \$300 was realized for the new church.

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Mr. W. C. Iles, of Buda, called at this office Monday.

Mrs. B. Franklin is the guest of Mrs. Wayland Alexander.

Fancy Fruit Baskets of all kinds at J. C. Hee's, from 50c to \$5.00.

Good shaves and best hair cuts at Riley's Barber shop. Try one.

Lowney's fine line of Box Candy from 10c to \$5.00 at Hee's Grocery.

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Mr. E. H. Neighbors, of Olston, paid The Republican a pleasant call Tuesday.

Drink Dr. Shoop's Health Coffee. Sold by U. S. Carson, the Grocer.

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Mr. James T. Davis, route 1, paid The Republican a pleasant call Wednesday.

"Snap Shots" at Dr. Bean's Opera House next Thursday night. Don't miss it.

Mr. John W. Sandifer, No. 200, paid The Republican a pleasant call, yesterday.

Mr. John Dodson, route 1, is quite ill, suffering from a relapse of typhoid fever.

Mrs. Carrie V. Copping, of Huntville, Mo., is visiting her aunt, Mrs. R. R. Wedding.

If you have never shaved at Riley's Barber Shop you should do so and see how good you feel.

Attorney McDowell A. Fogle is able to be out after suffering several days quite severely with rheumatism.

Messrs. Critt Martin, R. J. Beaver Down, and Mr. James Ashby were callers at the Republican office, Saturday.

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Miss Norma Wedding, who is teaching school, spent the Thanksgiving holidays with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. S. J. Wedding.

Mr. O. T. O'Bannon, who is located at Burkville and Hazard, Ky., in the cross tie business, spent a few days here with his family recently.

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Mrs. Nancy Miller, of Deanfield, has arrived here and will spend the winter in Hartford with her sisters, Mrs. Ella Rhoads and Mrs. Anna Rhonda.

If you want to enjoy a good evening's entertainment, go to the Opera House next Thursday night. For benefit Ladies Circle Woodmen of the World.

Mr. C. H. Goldsmith, has returned to his home at Evansville, Ind., after spending a few days in this city the guest of Messrs. L. M. and E. E. Rhoads.

See Fair's Coat Suits. Prices and Quality will please you.

Trade at Fairs and get the piano coupons for your friends.

When you want Ammunition or Guns, call on U. S. Carson, the Grocer.

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Mrs. E. C. Baird and Robert Davis were pleasant callers at this office, Saturday.

The hunting season is now on. Get your outfit from U. S. Carson's Grocer.

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Help your friends by trading at Fairs'. It costs you not more and then you help some one to get the Piano.

The bazaar conducted by the ladies of the Methodist church closed last night in the Hartford House building and was a success from every standpoint, and over \$300 was realized for the new church.

If you have not bought any of our Candy, suppose you do so next time you want candy. It's fine. OHIO COUNTY DRUG CO., Incorporated.

We will duplicate prices for any Magazine or group of Magazines offered by any reputable agency. Wait for my large, new fall catalog. J. Ney Foster, Magazine Subscription Agency.

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Remember that the J. Ney Foster Magazine Subscription Agency, of Hartford, can give you any Magazine or Periodical published. Cut prices when two or more Magazines are ordered. Telephone 123.

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A splendid entertainment consisting of "Snap Shots," a short play, drills, songs and musical numbers will be given at the Opera House next Thursday night for benefit of the Ladies Aid of W. O. W. Popular prices.

There is a splendid moving picture show going on at Dr. Bean's Opera House every Friday and Saturday nights now. The films and songs are new and good and they give a fine long evening's entertainment for only ten cents. To-night and Sunday night.

Mr. W. C. Iles, of Buda, called at this office Monday.

Mrs. B. Franklin is the guest of Mrs. Wayland Alexander.

Fancy Fruit Baskets of all kinds at J. C. Hee's, from 50c to \$5.00.

Good shaves and best hair cuts at Riley's Barber shop. Try one.

Lowney's fine line of Box Candy from 10c to \$5.00 at Hee's Grocery.

Riley's new Barber shop is up-to-date and you get courteous treatment there.

Mr. E. H. Neighbors, of Olston, paid The Republican a pleasant call Tuesday.

Drink Dr. Shoop's Health Coffee. Sold by U. S. Carson, the Grocer.

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Mr. John W. Sandifer, No. 200, paid The Republican a pleasant call, yesterday.

Mr. John Dodson, route 1, is quite ill, suffering from a relapse of typhoid fever.

Mrs. Carrie V. Copping, of Huntville, Mo., is visiting her aunt, Mrs. R. R. Wedding.

If you have never shaved at Riley's Barber Shop you should do so and see how good you feel.

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principal of a leading school at Dumore, and his wife is one of the leading ladies of that city.

There are several good communications received at this office this week that we are compelled to leave out on account of late arrival. They will be printed next issue, and we regret we have not time to set the type for them this week.

This evening at 7:15 o'clock the Greenville basket ball team will play against the West Kentucky Seminary team at the Athletic Club rooms at Beaver Dam. The game will be called promptly, as the Greenville boys leave on the night train. General admission 25 cents.

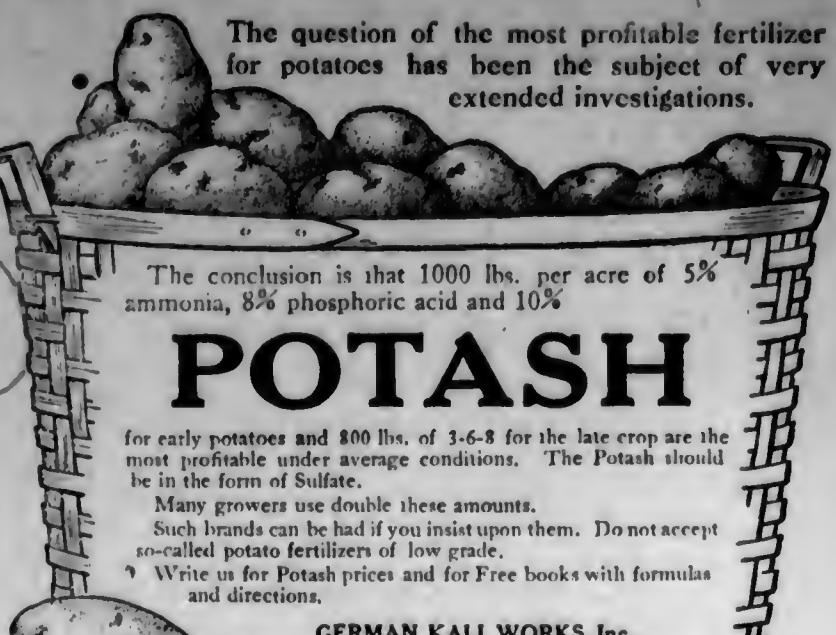
You should read the advertisements of the "live wire" local merchants that appear in this issue of The Republican. They want your Christmas trade and are asking for it. Call upon them before buying from the mail order house or the street peddler. "There's a reason."

County Coroner Dr. A. B. Riley held an inquest at McHenry Saturday to ascertain the cause of the death of Simeon Stephens, and found he met death accidentally. He also the same day held an inquest concerning the death of Elsie Gertrude Kirby, age 12. In his report Dr. Riley stated that the evidence indicated she met her death accidentally. Dr. Riley was also called to Horse Branch Wednesday, where he held a post mortem examination over the body of Miles Morris, age 16.

**Corn Wanted.**  
Beginning Monday, December 11, W. E. Ellis and E. E. Birth will pay 50c per bushel for corn, shucked and picked, delivered on truck in 500 bushel lots.

**For sale at a Bargain.**  
Shares in a concern doing business which will pay splendid dividends and double your money in a short time. Absolutely safe, sound and legitimate. Investigation solicited. For full particulars address Box X Y Z, care The Republican.

**Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA**



The conclusion is that 1000 lbs. per acre of 5% ammonia, 8% phosphoric acid and 10%

POTASH

for early potatoes and 800 lbs. of 3-6-8 for the late crop are the most profitable under average conditions. The Potash should be in the form of Sulfate.

Many growers use double these amounts.

Such brands can be had if you insist upon them. Do not accept so-called potato fertilizers of low grade.

Write us for Potash prices and for Free books with formulas and directions.

GERMAN KALI WORKS, Inc.  
Continental Bldg., Baltimore Monadnock Block, Chicago  
Whitney Central Bank Building, New Orleans

## TRADE AT The Equity Store

And save from 10 to 25 per cent.

Can you use a real \$10 Suit at \$6.40 or an Odd pair of Pants, or a large Eight Day Clock at \$1.75? Or a pair of Shoes or a Suit of the best Underwear, or Hats or Caps? A large assortment to select from. Best Barrel Salt, \$1.40 per barrel. Visit Our Store. Your patronage depends upon the success of the 10 per cent. Store.

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# BUSINESS BUILDING

By DUNDAS HENDERSON

Advertising Manager of the C. E. Zimmerman Co., Chicago.



Specimens  
Advertising  
Service

DUNDAS HENDERSON

Supplied by  
the  
C. E. ZIMMERMAN CO.  
CHICAGO

THE "FUN" OF WRITING ADVERTISEMENTS.

Do you like the fun of writing your ads? Fine fun, isn't it? It is fun to be in business anyhow—fun to have the landlord come for rent—screening fun to have to send a cheque for all those funny bills that come in regularly every month and simply irresistible fun to have to buy bread and butter for the family and plan for the future of the children. Yes, Mr. Retailer, it is fun—perhaps.

You know from bitter experience that there is nothing funny about business. You do not pay your bills from any sense of humor and neither do people give you credit from the same cause. There is little fun in paying the wages of the first-class salesman who has to assist you in making money to pay your creditors and allow you to tuck a small sum snugly away in your bank against a rainy day. It is all solemn, deadly reality. It requires all the thought and sake help of the highest grade you can get at a reasonable price to carry through the daily tragedy.

Why should you think it fun to write your ads? Do you realize that it is just as necessary to have salesmanship outside your store as it is to have it in if you wish to be successful? And if you are anxious to increase your business to the point where it will be classed as amongst the best producers of the kind, you will find that "outsides" salesmanship of the finest order is absolutely necessary.

Outside salesmanship means advertising that brings business. In this category you must put your newspaper advertising—that is to say, you put your newspaper advertising in that class if it produces results. It is this production of result that makes all the difference. Only advertising space that contains real salesmanship will get real returns. And the construction of that salesmanship makes all the difference between success and failure.

The writing of successful advertising is an art or science like photography or medicine. It cannot be used successfully by any one who has not studied it closely as any other art or science. The man who, therefore, tries to practice it for fun is only wasting his money and time.

You would not allow an untrained clerk or amateur to come into your store and sell your finest goods to your best customer. And you would call anyone else who was guilty of such foolishness, a bad merchant. Further, you would not expect a clerk whom you had engaged to sell groceries, to compound prescriptions or repair watches. It is just the same with advertising salesmanship. Unless you know the rules of the business you cannot successfully write ads that are absolutely sure to bring customers into your store and money into your cash drawer.

If you are in business for fun it is wise to write your own ads for there is nothing easier or "funner" than to spend your money on newspapers foolishly. But if you are in business for money, it is better to get someone to write them for you who knows how to bring customers to your store and, incidentally, swell your bank account.

Just let me tell you how "easy" it is to write ads and then tell me how much fun there is in constraining ads on which the increase of your business depends and on which you have to build a great part of your future.

There are four points to every successful advertisement: First, you must get and hold the attention of the possible customer in competition with every other advertiser in the paper; second, you have to create interest in the goods you are selling; third, you must bring such conviction into the customer's mind that she wants the goods more than the money in her pocket or bank roll; and last, but by no means least, you must get the customer into your store to actually buy the goods. That's all there is to it. Easy, isn't it?

Three are well defined rules for

## LIFE TOLL FOR THE SEASON OF HUNTING

Pursuit of Game Proves More Costly than in Former Season.

Chicago, Dec. 5.—The hunting season which closed Thursday, cost 104 lives and resulted in more or less severe injuries to 44 others. These figures are larger than those for last year, when the dead numbered 100 and the injured 81. Kentucky has 3 in the list.

The annual loss of life in the pursuit of game has attracted the attention of the Government, and by direction of Secretary Wilson of the Agricultural Department, The Biological Survey is studying the incidents this year as well as statistics for the last five years.

The result of the investigation and suggestions for legislation will be embodied in a report to be published at the end of the year. With those statistics to work on, the Federal Government will try to induce the various States to enact laws which will decrease the annual slaughter of hunters.

This year's statistics prove that a hunter's companion is the most dangerous part of a hunting outfit. It has caused at least 25 per cent. of the fatal accidents of the season, his carelessness being responsible for 24 deaths and the injury of 14 persons, who were lucky enough to escape mortal injuries.

### In Memory.

For several days the White Winged Messenger of Death has hovered over the home of Mr. and Mrs. Birnie McDowell, and it has descended and taken from them their only child, little Wilbur, aged eleven months. The services are usually supplied in series of fifty-two with fifty-two copper-plate electros of the illustrations, one for each week in the year, at prices ranging from one dollar per week up. Much of the advertising in these services has been classed as equal to the best that has made success for the big city department stores and national advertisers. Some reduced facsimiles of this kind of advertising may be seen at the top of this column.

This syndicated advertising service puts within the reach of even the smallest retailer, advertisements that he could not obtain individually for many hundreds of dollars. They are constructed by men who have a country wide reputation as expert advertising experts and who are paid large salaries not only for their skill but for their experience in constructing just such advertisements as have made success for thousand of merchants in the same position as yourself.

### A Dreadful Wound

From a knife, gun, tin can, rusty nail, fireworks, or of any other nature, demands prompt treatment with Buckland's Arnica Salve to prevent blood poison or gangrene. It's the quickie's, surest healer for all such wounds as also for Burns, Boils, Sores, Skin Eruptions, Eczema, Chapped Hands, Corns or Piles. 25c at all druggists.

McCALL PATTERNS  
10¢ AND 15¢  
NONE HIGHER

## A Reliable Remedy CATARRH

Ely's Cream Balm

is quickly absorbed  
Gives Relief at Once.  
It cleanses, soothes,  
heals and protects  
the diseased mem-  
brane in the nose, in  
Catharr and drives  
away a Catarr in the  
Head quickly. Re-  
stores the Senses of  
Taste and Smell. Full size 50 cts. at Drugg-  
ists or by mail. In liquid form, 75 cents.  
Ely Brothers, 56 Warren Street, New York.

## HAY FEVER

Taste and Smell. Full size 50 cts. at Drugg-  
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Ely Brothers, 56 Warren Street, New York.

## WHY OWN

## WEBSTER'S NEW INTERNATIONAL DICTIONARY

### THE MERRIAM WEBSTER?

Because it is a NEW CREA-  
TION, covering every  
field of the world's thought,  
action and culture. The only  
new unabridged dictionary in  
many years.

Because it defines over 400,000  
words; more than ever  
before appeared between two  
covers. 2700 Pages, 6000 Il-  
lustrations.

Because it is the only dictionary  
with the new divided  
page. A "Stroke of Genius."

Because it is an encyclopedia in  
a single volume.

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Courts, Schools and  
From as the one supreme au-  
thority.

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Success. Let us tell  
you about this new work.

WRITE for specimen of new divided page.  
C. & C. MERRIAM CO., Publishers, Springfield, Mass.  
Send this paper, receive FREE a set of pocket maps.

## CONSUMPTION Can Be CURED TO PROVE IT

We send FREE a bottle Germinal, a quick relief  
for lung trouble, coughs, pains in chest, and that  
run down feeling. ( Mention this paper.)

OHIO MEDICAL COMPANY  
COLUMBUS, OHIO  
Box 95



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Celebrated for style, perfect fit, simplicity and  
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RELIGIOUS SERVICES.

M. E. Church—South Services morning  
and evening every first and third Sunday  
in each month. Sunday School 9:45 a.m.  
Prayer meeting every Wednesday  
evening. Rev. Virgil Elgin Pastor.

Baptist Church—Services every Sunday  
morning and evening. Sunday School  
4:30 a.m. Prayer meeting every Wednesday  
evening. Rev. J. W. Bruner, Pastor.

Christian Church—Services every fourth  
Sunday at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Sunday  
School 2:30 p.m. Elder W. B. Wright  
Pastor.

C. P. Church—Services first Sunday in  
each month at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Sunday  
School 9:45.

### SECRET SOCIETIES.

Hartford Lodge No. 615, F. & A. M., meets first and third Monday night in each month. Owen Hunter, W. M., L. P. Foreman Secretary.

Keystones Chapter No. 119, R. A. M., meets second Monday night in each month. John T. Moore, High Priest; W. S. Tinsley, Secretary.

Hartford Chapter No. 84, O. E. S., meets second and fourth Monday evening. Mrs. S. A. Anderson, W. M. Miss Lizzie Miller, Secretary.

Rough River Lodge No. 110, Knights of Pythias, meets every Tuesday night.

J. B. Tappan, C. C. J. Ney Foster, K. R. & S. Hartford Tent No. 99, K. O. T. M., meets every first and third Thursday night. Rev. D. W. Miller, Commander; L. P. Foreman, Record Keeper.

Sunshine Hive No. 42, L. O. T. M., meets every first and third Friday night in each month. Mrs. Attye Griffin, Lady Commander; Mrs. Lula Pendleton, Lady Commander.

Carpenters and Joiners local No. 1831, meets 1st Saturday night in each month. Noah Skaggs, Pres.; W. D. Luce, Sec-Treas.

Acme Lodge No. 329, I. O. O. F., meets second and fourth Friday night in each month. W. R. Hedrick Noble Grand; C. M. Barnett Secretary.

Ohio Tribe No. 184, Imp. Order Red Men, meets second and fourth Wednesday night in each month. James C. Benachem, A. E. Past, Chief of Records.

Hartford Camp, W. O. W. No. 202, Consul Commander, Thomas Williams; Clerk, W. C. Wallace.

Preston Morton Post No. 4, G. A. R., holds regular meetings Saturday before the first Monday in each month. Ashford Mills, Commander; J. M. Rogers, Adj't.

### A. S. of E.

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tuces, 1000; Cabbages, 1000; Potatoes, 1000; and all varieties of Seeds, Plants, etc.

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Write to-day: Mention this Paper.

SEND 10 CENTS.

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# ROYAL BAKING POWDER

*Absolutely Pure*

The only Baking Powder made from Royal Grape Cream of Tartar

NO ALUM, NO LIME PHOSPHATE

## THE MAN AROUND TOWN.

A peculiar accident occurred one day recently, and it really looked as if Sheriff Black had money to burn when something like \$500 in checks was thrown into the fire—through mistake, of course. It happened this way: There was not a busier place in town for several days, ending last Thursday, than the Sheriff's office. Beginning Dec. 1, the penalty for all unpaid taxes went on, and the people were trying to avoid the extra assessment. In this manner there were scores of letters going into the office with checks enclosed. Miss Flesner, the office deputy, thinking the letters had been answered, threw a pile of letters, etc., into the fire. When she went back to her desk to renew her work she discovered her mistake. Fortunately she remembered the amount and payer of nearly every check, with the exception of about \$50.00.

Thanksgiving was generally observed in Hartford this year, nearly all of the stores closing for at least a part of the day, and services were held at the first Christian church; but we have heard of but few people in Hartford who had a turkey for their feast.

You can say what you want to about banquets, suppers and the like, but you have to hand it to Berry Taylor as being a live wire when placed upon a committee to furnish a banquet for Rough River Lodge, K. of P. And he will never have any trouble in landing the chairmanship.

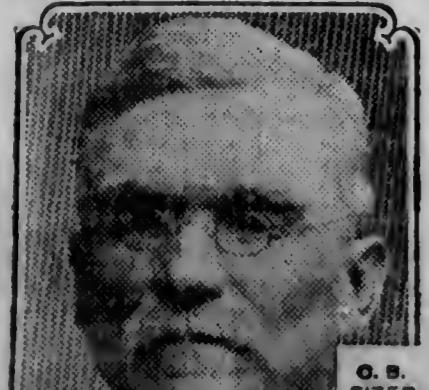
At Christmas time there is always a wide range of presents that the young would like to have. Old Santa bring him on the night before Christmas. We have heard of many things the children want but the best yet is what little three-year-old Bourke Zimmerman, son of Dr. and Mrs. B. F. Zimmerman, of Louisville, and grandson of Mrs. W. H. Taylor, city, wants. He told his parents the other day that he wanted "a sure and dead man in a coffin, a horse and some live horses" for Christmas. The little fellow lives on a street in the Falls City, through which many funeral processions pass, and child-like he wants one too. Quite an original idea at any rate.

Mr. S. J. Weller, cashier of the Dundee Bank, has a relic that is of much interest, and doubtless of great value. It is a powder horn, which he has had for over thirty years, and is wonderfully hand carved. He showed it when a mere boy from another boy, but does not know the history, which surely is attached to it. Quite clearly are seen the figures of several deer, the spread-eagle, dogs, and the shield of the United States, with its motto, "E Pluribus Unum." Mr. Weller prizes the horn very highly, and justly so.

Work is a great blessing. You can not see now, but some day you will say that you were fortunate in your boy and days because you were compelled to work. Because you cannot get power to do things save by doing them. Look over the successful

## KIDNEY TROUBLE

Suffered Ten Years—Relieved in Three Months Thanks to PE-RU-NA.



C. B. FIZER.

C. B. FIZER, Mt. Sterling, Ky., says: "I have suffered with kidney and bladder trouble for ten years past. Last March I commenced using Pe-Ru-Na and continued for three months. I have not used it since, nor have I felt a pain."

men you know. Get their history. Nearly everyone was compelled to work in boyhood. They toughened their muscles by hard work and sharpened their brains by looking out for themselves.

Why is it that no one wants to live in the country anymore? Cities are full of people who live from "hand to mouth," and whose total wealth is represented by the clothing they have on. Years go by and these persons never have a home. They do what independence that the proud owner of a farm has. If there is one needed reform it is to keep the people on the farms and away from cities.

Monday was County Court day, and the usual accompaniment, strok, peddlers and horse jockeys, were much in evidence, especially the fellow who sold his wares on the court house square. No doubt there will be several who will remember him for many moons.

From every viewpoint the farming class of this country is in better shape now than at any period since the civil war. More people own their own homes and little farms; more are free from the yoke of bondage inflicted by burdensome debts; more are becoming independent each year by making a comfortable living for their families; more are waking up to the necessity of giving their children better educational advantages, and withal, prosperity and contentment seem to prevail throughout the country. Let progress still be our watchword.

The weekly country paper has as definite excuse for being in the world as can be furnished by the city dailies. Such a publication is not only a business guide, but is a pulpit of morals; it is a kind of a public forum where the affairs of the state are considered; it is a supervisor of streets and roads; it is a social friend, a promoter of friendship and good will. Edited by a broad and just man such a publication so treats the different sects that they realize their brotherhood and become in reality what they are pictured in print. The town weekly dailies, not to be Presbyterian, Methodist, or Baptist, but it must select the valuable in each church, and thus it becomes the harmonizer of discord. It binds those whom theology would often separate. Even the so-called small masters of a village or in corporate town are small only to those whose hearts are too full of personal interest. It is very important if some school boy reads a good essay, or speaks well a piece, or sings well a song, or stands high in the class room that kind of mention should be made publicly of such success, for more young minds are injured by the want of cheering words than are made vain by an excess of such praise.

Every family has need of a good reliable liniment. For sprains, bruises, soreness of the muscles and rheumatic pains there is none better than Chamberlain's. Sold by all druggists. m

Her Life a Burden.

Ratcliff, Tex.—In a letter from Ratcliff, Mrs. Mattie Campbell says, "My health was very bad. I suffered untold misery every month, and at times I wished for death to end my suffering, for life was a burden to me. I tried Cardul, and it helped me right pinches." If you suffer as Mrs. Campbell did, Cardul will certainly help you, as it did her. Why not try it?

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### Card of Thanks.

We desire to express our heartfelt thanks to our kind friends and neighbors, who so kindly assisted in the burial of our dear mother and grandmother, Mrs. E. R. Caselton.

The kindness of our friends will never be forgotten. May God bless each of them, with His richest blessings.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Kimmel and family.

The quicker a cold is gotten rid of the less the danger from pneumonia, and other serious diseases. Mr. B. W. L. Hall, of Waverly, Va., says: "I firmly believe Chamberlain's Cough Remedy to be absolutely the best preparation of the market for colds. I have recommended it to my friends and they all agree with me. For sale by all druggists. m

## SUNNYDALE.

Dec. 5.—It has been sometime since I have seen any thing from our little village, so I thought I would send a few lines.

Mr. Edna Murphy happened down very painful accident on last evening. He and his brother, Elvin were wrestling and some way he fell, breaking both bones in his right limb below his knee and sprained his ankle. Drs. Ford and Duff were called and dressed his wounds. He is getting along nicely.

Mr. F. E. Hunt and wife, of Fordville, were visiting relatives in this community the past week.

Mrs. Sadie Brooks, of Shaughnessyville, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. L. J. Pardue, will return home the first of the week. She has made many friends while here who regret to see her leave.

Misses Matilda Wilson, Bassie Bennett and Jessie Gilliam visited Miss Sadie Brooks Saturday night.

The box supper at the schoolhouse Thursday night was quite a success.

Mr. Charlie Wright, of Illinois, has been visiting his sister, Mrs. J. T. Lowe, the past week.

Mr. L. J. Pardue and wife went to Hartford shopping Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Willis, of Palo, spent the day with Mr. S. T. Dotson and wife Thursday.

Miss Maggie Ferguson was a pleasant caller at Mrs. Pardue's Monday afternoon.

The school at this place is progressing nicely with Miss Effie Duke as teacher.

Mr. V. R. Ferguson is a frequent caller at L. J. Pardue's.

Rev. Crowe filled his regular appointment at Marvins Chapel Sunday.

Miss Elizabeth Davidson, of Hartford, is visiting her uncle, R. L. Alford and family.

Mrs. W. A. Clark went to Hartford

Tuesday shopping and while there was the guest of her mother, Mrs. John Dukes.

Mr. Harry Monroe, of Beaver Dam, was here on business Friday.

When your feet are wet and cold, and your body chilled through and through from exposure, take a big dose of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, bathe your feet in hot water before going to bed, and you are almost certain to ward off a severe cold. For sale by all druggists. m

Do  
Your  
Christmas  
Shopping  
Early.

## Pianos Direct from the Factory AND NO MIDDLEMAN'S PROFITS.

A Fine Piano \$150.00, cash. \$175.00 on time.  
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